

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

1. (Previously Presented) A computer-readable medium tangibly embodying a program of recordable, computer-readable instructions executable by a digital processing apparatus to perform a method of transferring files, the method comprising:

when a file stored in a first folder is selected to be stored into a second folder, comparing a filename of the selected file with a filename of each file already stored in the second folder;

if the second folder contains no file having a filename same as the selected file, storing the selected file into the second folder; and

if the second folder contains a file having a filename same as the selected file, displaying thumbnail images and file information of the selected file and the file having the same filename together on a display device.

2. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium as defined in claim 1, further comprising:

if at least one of the selected file and the file having the same filename comprises a movie file, displaying a first frame of the movie as the thumbnail image thereof on the display device, and playing back the movie upon operation to the thumbnail image.

3. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium as defined in claim 1, further comprising:

if at least one of the selected file and the file having the same filename comprises an audio file, displaying an icon image as the thumbnail image thereof on the display

device, the icon image indicating that the file comprises audio, and playing back the audio upon operation to the icon image.

4. (Previously Presented) A computer-readable medium tangibly embodying a program of recordable, computer-readable instructions executable by a digital processing apparatus to perform a method of transferring files, the method comprising: when an audio file stored in a first folder is selected to be stored into a second folder, comparing a filename of the selected file with a filename of each file already stored in the second folder and attaching a filename to the selected file and storing the selected file into the second folder;

displaying an icon image on a display device, the icon image indicating that the file comprises audio, for the selected file and an audio file stored in the second folder; and playing back the audio upon operation to the icon image.

5. (Previously Presented) A method of transferring files, the method comprising: comparing a filename of at least one of an image file, a movie file, and an audio file which is stored in a first folder, and which is selected to be stored into a second folder, with a filename of each file already stored in the second folder;

storing the selected file into the second folder when the second folder contains no file having a filename which is same as the selected file;

displaying, when the second folder contains a file having a filename that is the same as the selected file, a thumbnail image and file information of the selected file together with a thumbnail image and file information of the file having the same filename on a display.

6. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 5, wherein, if at least one of the selected file and the file having the same filename comprises a movie file, said method further comprising:

displaying a first frame of a movie included in said movie file as the thumbnail image thereof on the display device.

7. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 6, further comprising:
playing back the movie upon operation to the thumbnail image.

8. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 5, wherein, if at least one of the selected file and the file having the same filename comprises an audio file, said method further comprising:

displaying an icon image as the thumbnail image thereof on the display device,
wherein the icon image indicates that the file comprises audio.

9. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 8, further comprising:
playing back the audio upon operation to the icon image.

10. (Previously Presented) A system for transferring files, the system comprising:
comparing means for comparing a filename of at least one of an image file, a movie file, and an audio file which is stored in a first folder, and which is selected to be stored into a second folder, with a filename of each file already stored in the second folder;

storing means for storing the selected file into the second folder when the second folder contains no file having a filename which is same as the selected file;

display means for displaying, when the second folder contains a file having a filename that is the same as the selected file, a thumbnail image and file information of the selected file together with a thumbnail image and file information of the file having the same filename on a display.

11. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 10, wherein, if at least one of the selected file and the file having the same filename comprises a movie file, said display means displays a first frame of a movie included in said movie file as the thumbnail image thereof on the display device.

12. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 10, wherein said display means plays back the movie upon operation to the thumbnail image.

13. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 10, wherein, if at least one of the selected file and the file having the same filename comprises an audio file, said display means displays an icon image as the thumbnail image thereof on the display device,

wherein the icon image indicates that the file comprises audio.

14. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 10, wherein said system further comprises:

audio means for playing back the audio upon operation to the icon image.

15. (New) The method according to claim 5, wherein the method restructures data stored in all layers in the first folder into a format suitable for recording.